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必須の神輿合宿!
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2点取れば七割勝てる!!

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Chapter 38: Preemptive Attack



Why is
Touma-
should-
don
here...?

Don't tell me
he's looking for
something to
get us in trouble
with the kids
again...?



No doubt
about it.
That's
Touma-
should-
don

It's
the empire
that Touma
punched back
then...?



It's possible.
For some reason
he's got his eye
on us...









OH?
You know
about
me?



But of course!
I believe it was
three times
that you've
gone to the
Koshien!



Oh,
I'm honored
to meet you.
Just to think
that I'd be able
to play against
a *Pro* coach
who has gone to
the Koshien so
many times.



It
was
Haga-
zaki.

That's
it!



My
big!

One
more,
it was
...



And one
more
time it
was...

At first,
it was in
Yamaguchi,
then
Tobori...



Best
8...



That time
was your best
achievement.
You even got
as far as
best 16...



I'll learn
from you
today.
Please
be gentle
with us.



Yeah, this is
amazing. I look
forward to how
far you'll get
in the Koshien
this year.

Then that
Pawnee coach
finally comes to
the capital area,
and in only two
years wins
the Kintou
championship!



Likewise.



More, during
the school
tournament.
Yugen Kary
reached best
10, didn't it?



Making me
wear a uniform
today only, is
like a prank or
something?

Shud-
dup!



The uniform
was a little
too small?
But since
you're the
coach...



The team just got
formed recently,
but it's already
dominated both
the Fall tournament
and the Kanto
tournament, which
means it's the
real deal.

The
real
deal?



Yes.
Why...?



It really is
a great honor,
to battle their
best members!

This is
a team
designed
to win the
Koshien.



Shake
you
up?



...That man
Katagaya...
He tried to
shake me
up...



Caution.



Yes.



So he's a guy
who knows that
a match begins
even before
"Play ball" is
uttered...

He doesn't
seem to
be simply
a beginner
coach.





In baseball,
if you score a run
in the first inning,
the chances of
winning are 60%!
Two runs will ensure
a 70% chance of
victory! That's why
we have to score
first no matter what!

The current betting
order is designed to
take an early lead!



ALRIGHT,
LET'S
GO!!



*I wonder
how far we
can get...*



*Actually, all that
would only be
true if we were
evenly matched.*



But the opponent is a champion school destined for the selection. How far can we get?



Finally.
I can't wait.



This is an ideal opponent for us to find out Gaisaku's strength!



That's why if we win, we'll be able to see the Koshien in front of us.



You can see better from the front. I'm going over there.



Since this is an audit, I have to diligently collect all data.



A score-book?





KYA-
AAA!
AKA-
SHI-
KUU-
UUUN !!

SO
COOL
wow!



Hidaka,
go for the
first pitch!
A lead-off
batter
homemade!



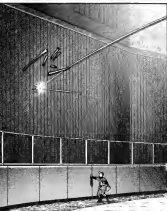








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YOU
DID IT,
HIDA-
KAAAA
!!

OUTTA
THE
PARK
now!!



JUST
DIE
now!!

NOOOO
now!!

WHAT
ARE YOU
FOMO,
HODON
-!!



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Chapter 39: Momentum and Flow



The blind batter's hit-and-run ended up being a grounder to second... they're just doing as they please.



The second baseman took a closer on balls.

The lead-off batter hit a home run.



I'll leave it up to you through the third inning.





The
cleanup
hitter



You might say
that it's just
the dumb idiot's
bad, but I'm
really rolling
apart against
an inferior
opponent...

That is
just too
pathetic



So it's
Kotetsu-kun
... He looks
composed, but
he's probably
laughing at
me inside,
isn't he?



Speaking of which, wasn't he listed as "Downey" on the roster...? If he *wasn't* he had some problems. I sympathize. But during the game it's different!



First, let's check the score with an inside, high fastball that becomes a ball... If he hits it, it will be a foul.







Well,
that's how
he'll, Our
Takeshi.

**THREE
RUNS
TOTAL
NOW!!**



**WE
DID IT-
THATS
TWO
RUNS!!**





That one
was a little
hittable, but
it's strange.
We'll get
it back.

Look
at those.
The ones
behind us.



I really
don't feel
good.

We got us,
Akuma. Two
home runs
in one inning.
So this the
first time it
happened in
your life?



There are
no runners left,
so he's actually
none holding for
us? We'll just shut
out the rest.

They don't
have any good
batters except
the first and
the fourth.







NICE,
SHORT-
STOP!!



If you score a run in the first inning, the chances of winning are 60%!

Two runs will ensure a 100% chance of victory, and with three runs it should be 80%!

TEAM 1 2 3 4

SAIGAKU

3

VIRGIN MARY

LET'S GET IT PONE, EVERY-ONE!!

5 6 7

But we have the momentum on our side now!

You're too stupid as usual.

There's a difference between momentum and flow.

I don't know what they sold there on the moon, but the break those two took allowed Ikeda to recover.

Before Tokeshi's takeover the Flow was certainly in our favor... But it got shuttling out of it.

That's the Kanbou champion school for you. Their training was thorough.

SG







At this rate,
the true purpose
of high school
baseball, to bring
up healthy youths,
will be lost.











I pretty
much know
what he can
pitch now.



Oh wait.
I did say
I would
leave it to
you guys.



Nevertheless,
this boy's
an energetic
pitcher.
Isn't he?



AL-
RIGHT
!!

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Chapter 40: Spoiler!?

TEAM	1	2
SAIGAKU	3	
VIRGIN MARY	0	



AL-
RIGHT
!!



THREE
UP AND
THREE
DOWN.
GOOD
GOING,
HIDAKAA
!!



Yugin Mary is really something to launch this kind of a tenacious counterattack after giving up three runs.



32 pitches in just the first inning is really a lot...



I can't approve of that.



It's only been four months since their bodies were renewed, and to show this level of maturity...



Yashio, if you humor Iidaka and let him try to strike everyone out, it will be the end of us!



This is only the first inning...





彩学	1	2	3	4
聖母	3	0		
	0			





We can't,
Kazuo-san.
I understand
that you want
to fight him
head on, but
he's the cleanup
after all.









In
this case,
maybe he'll
call for an
outside
slider now.



Looks like
he did it on
purpose
just now.

He's actually
waiting for a
breaking ball,
but did he
think so we'd
think he's
waiting for
a fastball?



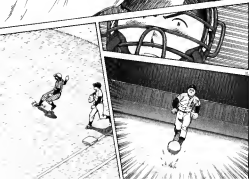
If that is
what I'm
thinking, then
naturally
he's thinking
the same
...

No, wait.
He's a
catcher
too...





















Especially the first batter, if you get him worked up anyone, it might be trouble.



In the top of the third, their lineup will start from the top, you understand?



Yes.



Go-koro-kun



He's the type who'd die for a woman without a second thought....

For people like him









As expected
From Virgin
Party Looks like
they recognized
that Shokuh-run
is the Zero
Dancer



I wonder
if we could
score
another run
somehow
...



Now it will get
difficult for
Asaka to score
anything... From
the third inning,
we have to start
worrying about
getting ready
with our head

They
figured
it out
... Earlier
than I
expected.



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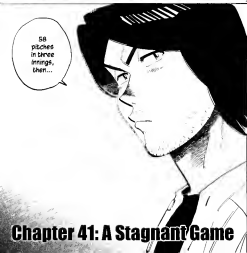


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EXPERIENCED IS PREFERRED AND ALSO PEOPLE
THAT USE JAPANESE P2P PROGRAMS OR
ACTUALLY SCAN IN RAWS SO WE CAN START
DOING SOME OF OUR FUTURE PROJECTS.

We only stare at you through a window
because we care.







He won't be satisfied with a single though, not our Takeshi!



NICE BAT-
TING,
TAKESHI!



KEEP
IT UP-!!

GOOD
ONE,
TAKESHI!!



Yes.

That makes two at-bats and two safe hits for him. He's in perfect shape as always.



That's Takeshi! For you, we have another chance now!

























But it was Kawakawa who was supposed to prepare the way? First, but before that, if we could only get Takeshi to second base...



PLEASE DON'T THERE'S NO SMOGGIN' IN THE PUSGOUTH!



With luck, I expected Kawaguchi to hit a long one...

We're 3 runs ahead, so why are you so irritated?



I don't feel like we have a 3 run lead at all... The game is now edging...



In any case, one is clearly over now. We can't have Shoko pitch that much...

*I want to grasp the flow
of the game
one more time,
but....!*



Now we
start our
cleanup from
the top.
Captain
demasa.



Yes.











TEAM	1	2	3	4	5			
彩學	3	0	0	0				
聖母	0	0	0	0				
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8





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DOING SOME OF OUR FUTURE PROJECTS.

We only stare at you through a window
because we care.



Chapter 42: In the Palm



No,
they just
let us
advance
on purpose

...



Then
how
about
that?

He's
pretending
like he
doesn't
know...













You just
don't get it,
do you?

IT'S A
CHANCE !!



Eh?



*I knew it!
No doubt
about it!!*





We're now
completely in
the palm of
their hand...

Not only
is it over,
it won't
start
again...



Th-That's
like what
we've been
doing up
to now...



In the
palm?



They'll allow
the lead-off
batter on base
with no outs...
Let him advance...
...So they'll slide
over without giving
up a single run.

Everything
will now go
according to
the Virgin
Mary's
program...



But they can
do a zero run
game on top
of that.





But Virgin Mary is at a higher level than that...

They used this game as "practice", to create a pinch and then not yield a single run.



The number of runs doesn't matter, they've taken it all into consideration.



But we got three runs from the score.



Oh no...



They let us
score freely in
the beginning of
the game to find out
our strength.
They can now see
through our attack
pattern.



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That's why
they easily
retired
Kobayashi after
his second
at bat...

They also
cut off our
lineup in front
of Takeuchi.

No matter how
strong of a batter
Takeuchi is, if he's
the third-off, they
have nothing to
fear. They just
need to watch out
for a homerun,
that's all.





To make a deal
with a team like
this... Does how
many does up her
sleeve does that
woman have?

Charm,
this looks
is really
something.



That boy
certainly
pitched
tenaciously.
He's that
much of a
pitcher...



This
thing
was...
90-90.

STRIKE-
OUT,
CHANGE
IT!



The offensive
started with the
cleanup hitter, but
he struck them out
in order. That's not
excessive against
Virgin Mary through
the 6th inning...
But the pitch count
is worrisome...



And
he's
local
too!!

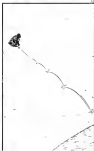


HE PIP IT
A RUNNER
RIGHT
BEFORE
DOKUSHI.
THIS TIME
FOR SURE
...



RIGHT IN
FRONT OF
CENTER,
NICE
BATTING,
YASHIO!!

NO
OUTS,
RUNNER
ON
FIRST.







What? The
cleanup is
bunting?







GO,
YASHIO
-!!

*It will be
a surprise
attack if
you do
it a
second
time!!*



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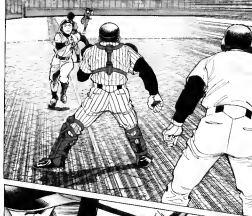




















I'm pretty sure they hadn't read us when Yashiro tried stealing third.



The score was perfect... then they realized they wouldn't make it in time... The lefts Pardon rushed to cover, and the shortstop moved in to cut him off...





Third baseman
let the ball
through on
purpose
so Yashio
would keep
on running
...



And Yashio
was out.



The left
fielder
knew it
back home
...





We thought
we'd score
easy run
for sure.
The fact
that we
didn't is



We delivered
the first blow,
but they
were the
ones who
made us
take damage



Huge....!!









Looks like
he at least
understands
the value of
strategy.

A surprise
attack
followed
by another
surprise
attack...
got it.





Now, do you
really think
it'll go to
exactly...?



The offense
at the bottom of
the box starts with
the seventh batter...
Given Ichikawa-kun's
condition today,
he should be able
to survive this ...



Are you
on Virgin
Mary's
side?



All the excellent
players are
assembled in this
line, you'd better
not look down on
the bottom of
their lineup.



I'M
NEUTRAL.
I'M NOT
ON EITHER
SIDE!

WHAA-
WHAT
ARE YOU
SAYING
!?







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Two anime-style characters are shown from the waist up. They have large, plain brown paper bags for heads. The character on the left is wearing a white long-sleeved shirt, a dark tie, and a black skirt. The character on the right is wearing a grey long-sleeved shirt, a dark tie, and a black skirt. A dark blue bag with two horizontal white stripes is slung over the right character's shoulder. The background is plain white.

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us or talk to fleshcut in irc**

Chapter 44: Virgin Mary, Awakens...!?

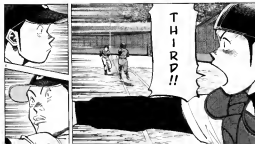


*Bottom of
the 6th, no
outs, runner on
first, eighth
batter.*

*Here
leading B-O...
This is...*

























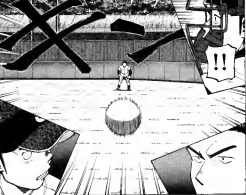


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TEAM	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
● BLUE JACK	3	0	0	0	0	0					3	
● WHITE MOUNTAIN	0	0	0	0	0	1					1	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12

影
学



聖
母



For the rest
of the game,
let's finish
them off
three batters
at a time.



Yes.



Sakura,
from now
on I will be
giving signs
from the
bench.



We made
good use of
one, and we
waited
another!

Listen up!
There are
always
three
chances
in each
game!





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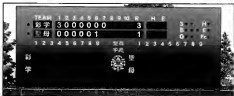
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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	計
STRIKE	0	1	1	0	2	0	0			4
OUT	0	0	0	0	0	6	X			6

Chapter 45: The Requirements for an Ace







Besides, I'm
doing especially
well today...



I won't
let you
score
anymore.



As for
statistics,
I got a ton
of those.



Only 3
safe hits
for the Kanto
champions
through the
middle of the
7th inning.



One out,
runner on
second,
and the
cleanup
is next.



Look
here,
today
I'm...



I was thinking
we should
pick to
difficult spots
as much as
possible



So
what?



If you
understand,
we're good!
Please leave
this to me



Oh fine.
I'll just leave
it up to you
then.





Even if they
had no choice
but to walk the
cleanup hitter
... It's now one
out, runners
on first and
second...

They scored
a run in the
6th, and last
inning the
lead-off
batter
suddenly hit
a double.



Playing by
the book
... like
onfees-
nabe.



And the pitch
count has
now exceeded
100, looks like
Mitsuo-kun
has gotten
pretty tired.











KEEP
GOING,
KEEP
GOING!!

A black and white manga panel showing a baseball game. In the foreground, a player in a light-colored uniform is running towards the left. In the background, several other players are on the field, and a baseball is visible on the ground. The scene is dynamic, with motion lines suggesting fast action.



AND
NOW
AN
ERROR

A black and white manga panel showing a close-up of a man's face. He has a wide-eyed, open-mouthed expression of shock or surprise. He is wearing a baseball cap and a dark shirt.



By the
captain
of all
people

A black and white manga panel showing a group of people reacting to the error. A man in a baseball cap is in the foreground, looking up with a shocked expression. Behind him, other people are visible, some with their hands on their heads in disbelief. The scene is filled with a sense of chaos and confusion.





Who are we
supposed to
substitute
him with?



Coach,
Isn't it
time to
substitute
him?

The pitch count
is over 120 now,
Hosaka's at
his limit.



If we survive
this, deep
down this will
be big for both
Hosaka and the
whole team...

There's
no choice
but to
leave it
up to him
now!



That's
true,
but...

Both
Kawaguchi
and Ooi
are clearly
below
Hosaka's
level.



Our
weakness
is now fully
exposed...

There's
no other
pitcher we
can send out
in Hosaka's
place...















Just
look
at his
Face..

Suddenly,
Asaka's
become
hardened
...



HELL-
YEAH!!
NICE
CATCH,
YASHIO!!



I just
hope it's
not his
Face
alone
...





Can we
really compare
with this good
feeling...?

Two feelings
left. His face
is fine, but
Richard's definitely
reaching his limit...



It's the
last warning
already...
Do I have to
say it?



It's al-
right.



Their pitcher
has somehow
gotten pretty
energized.



We'll finish
it with our
offense in the
bottom of
the 8th.

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BALL



Don't blame
for you to
get fired
up.





Of course!
We got a runner
on base with our
own strength for
the first time since
the first inning!
How can you not
get fired up?

Chapter 46: 8th Inning, Battle over One Point



If they
manage to
score here,
it'll be really
painful.

That Akashi
... he ended up
using 8 pitches
on the rush
batter...



If we lose
like this,
it'll come
back to
bite us
later on.



Sh... You're
going to use
him? It's only
a practice
game?



There's
no "only"
about it
anymore







It was useless.

STRIKE,
BATTER
OUT!!



It starts
from the
real first
batter,
Got.

Well,
this was
factored
in.











ALRIGHT,
THE
SACRIFICE
BUNT
WORKED
!!



Or at least
...This is the
way to test
until the
cleanup
mission.
Comaga-kun
...



While they have
two cuts, they
put a runner in
a scoring position,
and the third batter
Fashio-kun is next.
This next point
will determine
who controls
the match.





You
have to
make it
happen,
Yashio!



This is the
endgame.
Akihi is
tired and
just wants
to settle
the match
quickly.



Don't think
you can
revert to
Takeshi.



In that
case, the
pitch you
should
target
is...















I'm
not like
Akashi.



This is the
cleanup hitter.
He hit a homer
in the first
inning.

I'll hold
him off.



NICE
PITCHING !!

AKA-
SHI-
KUN.

THANKS
FOR
YOUR
HARD
WORK!!







*If it's inside,
a hard thing.
If it's outside,
a light hit. You
can adjust to
any pitch.*



*No,
on the other
hand, someone
like you can't
throw away
a pitch that
should be
thrown
dead!*

*There,
it's
over-*



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*They got it...
They figured out
Takashi's weak
point.*



*A fine batter
with Takashi's
ability to adjust
would judge that
it's not the time
for a long hit.*



*So
he would
stubbornly
wait for
the right
pitch...*

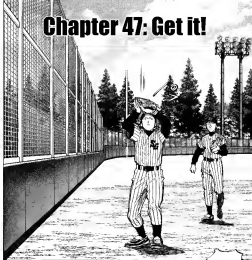
Chapter 47: Get it!



*Anticipating
that, it's
a slider flowing
to the outside...*



Chapter 47: Get it!



CHANGE !!

OUT!

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
彩学	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
聖母	0	0	0	0	0	1	1			2



Also the
catcher, who
figured out our
lineup in a mere
two iterations.



Plus, never
defending.



It's a top A-rated
champion school.
So you're
great and a
good pitcher...



Dad, it's not like
we've lost yet!
We can still make
our getaway!



Compared to
them, we don't
even have
a back up
pitcher.

What's
wrong?



But, that way
I'll rob him
of a perfect
chance to
progress in
a real match.

What
do I do?
Take
a shortcut
and tell
him?
We might
win that
way...

GOOP
JOB,
IT'S
ONE
OUT!!



STRIKE!

YEAH,
GOOP
PITCH!



















Slider
...Low!



GOOF
JOB,
HIFAKA-
SAN!



STRIKE!

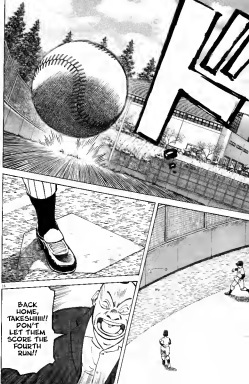


AMM...



The best
pitch that
Nidaka-san
has...
His Fastball!





BACK HOME, TAKESHIMA!!
DON'T LET THEM SCORE THE FOURTH RUN!!









You're doing great
for a Proo year...
You had you still
lack experience.

You were close,
Yasuo-kun. You're
a skilled catcher,
and you have
a good sense for
calling pitches.



It seems you
understand that
you need to make
a pause after
pitching a slider,
but you don't
understand why
you need to
do that.

Power Distribution

-Fastball

Index Finger 6 : Middle Finger 4

-Slider

Index Finger 2 : Middle Finger 8

A slider involves
the same motion
as the Fastball,
but the
distribution
of power
between fingers
is different.

You take a break
after the slider to
adjust your feet for it.
If you don't do it and
carelessly proceed to
throw a Fastball, the
minute difference in
the feet will have an
effect on the pitcher's
power and control...







You
just got
the pitcher
to throw
a ball.

...Is very
simple.



Not to mention,
if they want to
take a break,
they can throw
a check or
there are other
things...



It's not
too much
for them to
calmly pitch
a ball...

Well, both
Kodaka and
Toshio really
got fired
up in the
match.



Last inning volume 5 -END-



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SOMEONE SO WHY NOT LEARN
FROM ENDLESS ABYSS!!**

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